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Subject: RE: Meeting in Denver

Do we have a plan yet on this?

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FYI...

From: Mitre, Alfreda
Sent: Thursday, February 18, 2016 12:46 PM
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FYI----

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From: Remi Bald Eagle [<mailto:remi.baldeagle@crst-nsn.gov>]
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The best date and time would currently be March 8th at 1PM in Eagle Butte.

From: Mitre, Alfreda [<mailto:Mitre.Alfreda@epa.gov>]
Sent: Thursday, February 18, 2016 12:26 PM
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Subject: RE: Meeting in Denver

Good Afternoon,

The EPA would very much like to hear the concerns and comments of the Chairman; however, he can delegate this to his Tribal Historic Preservation Officer. As a former Chairperson myself, I understand the rigorous schedule and competing priorities of the Chairman, but EPA must meet its deadlines for this proposed permit. If a formal consultation cannot be scheduled in March, does the Tribe want to submit comments?

I have attached the letter from the Chairman, and we are willing to come to Eagle Butte in March.

Please advise.

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From: Remi Bald Eagle [<mailto:remi.baldeagle@crst-nsn.gov>]
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Kim,

You have a better idea than I do about the chairman's schedule. Is there time in March?

From: Mitre, Alfreda [<mailto:Mitre.Alfreda@epa.gov>]
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What is the earliest date in March the Chairman can meet?

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From: Remi Bald Eagle [<mailto:remi.baldeagle@crst-nsn.gov>]
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Subject: RE: Meeting in Denver

Good afternoon Alfreda,

Unfortunately, the Chairman will have to be in the Capitol during this time and is sending a proxy to the HHS meeting in Denver. His intention is to give this project his personal attention and would like to reschedule the consultation. I will continue working with the chairman to find a suitable time and place for this meeting, thank you.

From: Mitre, Alfreda [<mailto:Mitre.Alfreda@epa.gov>]
Sent: Wednesday, February 10, 2016 11:31 AM
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Subject: Meeting in Denver

Good morning Remi and Kim,

Attached is the letter from Chairman Frazier requesting consultation on the proposed Dewy Burdock In Situ Uranium project just south of the Black Hills.

The EPA UIC Program has received two permit applications from Powertech (USA) Inc.: one is for Class III injection wells used during the uranium recovery process; the second is for deep injection wells for the disposal of treated ISR process waste water.

In August 2015 the EPA spoke with a number of tribal leaders, Tribal Historic Preservation Offices and tribal environmental directors about the UIC permit applications EPA received. These sessions provided information about the proposed project scope and requested both information and feedback regarding the project area, tribal interest, and additional information Tribes would like to have as we proceed into formal consultation. The Region is pleased that Chairman Frazier is requesting formal consultation, we look forward to this in person meeting.

At your request Remi, I am confirming that Region 8 EPA can meet with Chairman Frazier the week of March 21 when he is here in Denver for the HHS meetings. If this still works--- please confirm a date and time. The R8 offices are just blocks from the HHS meeting site.

I look forward to your response.

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Good afternoon,

This is my contact information. As of right now I think it will be best to tentatively schedule this consultation around the HHS meetings in March at Denver.

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